

AO 440 (Rev. 06/12) Summons in a Civil Action

# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

Southern District of Mississippi

MISSISSIPPI ASSOCIATION OF EDUCATORS,  
ET AL.

*Plaintiff(s)*

v.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF STATE INSTITUTIONS  
OF HIGHER LEARNING, ET AL.

*Defendant(s)*

Civil Action No. 3:25-cv-00417-HTW-LGI

## SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: *(Defendant's name and address)*

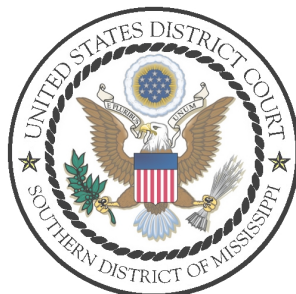
Wendi Barrett, in their official capacity as Member of the Mississippi State Board of Education c/o Attorney General Lynn Fitch, 550 High Street, Jackson, MS 39201.

A lawsuit has been filed against you.

Within 21 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are:

Joshua Tom, MS Bar No. 105392  
ACLU of Mississippi  
101 S. Congress Street  
Jackson, MS 39201

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CLERK OF COURT

*(Signature)*

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To: *(Defendant's name and address)*

Lance Evans, in their official capacity as Member of the Mississippi State Board of Education c/o Attorney General Lynn Fitch, 550 High Street, Jackson, MS 39201.

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To: *(Defendant's name and address)*

Bill Jacobs, in their official capacity as Member of the Mississippi State Board of Education c/o Attorney General Lynn Fitch, 550 High Street, Jackson, MS 39201.

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To: *(Defendant's name and address)*

Matt Mayo, in their official capacity as Member of the Mississippi State Board of Education c/o Attorney General Lynn Fitch, 550 High Street, Jackson, MS 39201.

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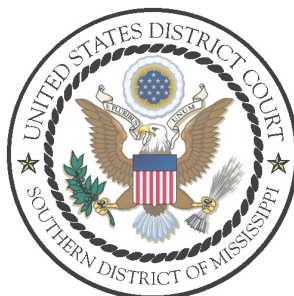
Ronnie McGehee, in their official capacity as Member of the Mississippi State Board of Education c/o Attorney General Lynn Fitch, 550 High Street, Jackson, MS 39201.

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To: *(Defendant's name and address)*

Matt Miller, in their official capacity as Member of the Mississippi State Board of Education c/o Attorney General Lynn Fitch, 550 High Street, Jackson, MS 39201.

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To: *(Defendant's name and address)*

Mike Pruitt, in their official capacity as Member of the Mississippi State Board of Education c/o Attorney General Lynn Fitch, 550 High Street, Jackson, MS 39201.

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Billye Jean Stroud, in their official capacity as Member of the Mississippi State Board of Education c/o Attorney General Lynn Fitch, 550 High Street, Jackson, MS 39201.

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To: *(Defendant's name and address)*

Mary Werner, in their official capacity as Member of the Mississippi State Board of Education c/o Attorney General Lynn Fitch, 550 High Street, Jackson, MS 39201.

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